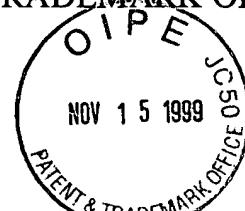


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AMENDMENT

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the specification:

Page 12, line 1, delete "magic hand" and insert --robot arm--; and

line 23, delete "magic hand" and insert --robot arm--.

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